GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
A B S T R A C T

SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT – JnanaBhumi (Post Matric Scholarships) – Reimbursement of Tuition Fee (RTF) to THE under Graduate Engineering course including Architecture courses, from the academic year 2019-20 – Enhancement of reimbursement of Tuition Fee from Rs.35000/- to Rs.45000/- for the students belonging to BC, EBC (other than Kapu) , Kapu, Minority and Differently Abled categories – Orders - Issued.

SOCIAL WELFARE (EDN.2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.67 Dated:18-02-2019
Read the following: -

1.G.O.Ms.No.66, Social Welfare (Edn.2) Department, dated 08.09.2010.
2.G.O.Ms.No.103, SW(EDN.2) Dept., Dated:24-10-2016.
3.G.O.Ms.No.45 , SW(EDN.2) Dept. Dated: 09-06-2017.
4.G.O.Ms.No. 86, SW(Edn) Dept., dated:29-10-2013
5.G.O.Ms.No.39, Higher Education(EC) Dept., dt:24-06-2016
6. G.O.Ms.No.41, Higher Education(EC) Dept., dt:25-06-2016
7. From the Higher Education (EC) Dept., e.File No.EHE01-15030/205/2018-EC-HE, dated:18-02-2019

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O R D E R:

The Government of Andhra Pradesh is sanctioning the Post Matric Scholarships, every year, to all eligible students belonging to the Scheduled Castes (SC) [through the Social Welfare Department], the Scheduled Tribes (ST) [through the Tribal Welfare Department], the Backward Classes (BC), Kapu & Economically Backward Class (EBC) [through the Backward Classes Welfare Department], Minorities [through the Minorities Welfare Department] and the Differently Abled [through the Women Development, Child Welfare & Disabled Welfare Department] categories, on a saturation basis through JnanaBhumi.

2. In the reference 1st to 3rd read above, the Government have issued orders from time to time for streamlining the scheme of Post Matric Scholarships, which includes the component of Maintenance Fee (MTF) payable to the students and the Reimbursement of Tuition Fee (RTF) payable to the College Managements.

3. In the reference 4th read above, under the Scholarship policy, the Government have issued orders for the Reimbursement of Tuition Fee to the under Graduate Engineering courses including Architecture courses, in respect of Private Un-Aided Colleges, under which the following categories of students are eligible for full fee reimbursement

(a) Eligible students belonging to SC & ST categories, in view of the partial reimbursement of fees from the Government of India.

(b) All other eligible students, other than those belonging to the SC & ST categories, who have obtained EAMCET rank up to 10,000

(c) All eligible students, other than those belonging to the SC & ST categories, who have studied in Government under Residential Colleges run by the Welfare & Education Departments including the students sponsored by the under the Corporate College Scheme.

4. Under the Scholarship policy, the students belonging to Backward Classes (BC), Economically Backward Classes (EBC), Minority & Differently Abled categories, other than those falling in the purview of para-3(a), (b) & (c) above, are eligible only for partial reimbursement of Tuition Fee, limited upto the maximum of Rs.35000/-, irrespective of the amount of fees notified by the Higher Education Department.

5. In the reference 5th and 6th read above, the Higher Education Department have fixed the fee structure in respect of the Private Un-aided Professional Institutions offering BE/B.Tech & B.Architecture courses in the state of Andhra Pradesh.

6. In the reference 7th read above, the Higher Education (EC) Department has placed proposal before the Social Welfare Department i.e. the Nodal Department for the Scholarship policy, proposing the enhancement of the ceiling of the reimbursement of Tuition Fee from Rs.35,000/- to Rs.45,000/- in respect of the students mentioned at para – 4 supra, who are eligible only for the partial Reimbursement of Tuition Fee.

7. In the circumstances reported in the reference 7th read above, Government, after careful examination of the matter & in partial modification of the reference 4th read above, hereby enhance the ceiling for the Reimbursement of Tuition Fee i.e. belonging to the Backward Classes (BC), Economically Backward Classes (EBC), Kapu, Minority & Differently Abled categories, other than those falling in the purview of para-3(a), (b) & (c) above, from Rs.35000/- to Rs.45000/- to the Private Un-aided Professional Institutions offering BE/B.Tech& B.Architecture courses in the State of Andhra Pradesh, from the academic year 2019-20.

8. The Director of Social Welfare, Director of Tribal Welfare, Director of Backward Classes Welfare, Commissioner of Minority Welfare, and Director of Differently Abled are requested to take necessary action accordingly.

9. The Chief Executive Officer, APCFSS shall take the necessary action for making the necessary modification to the JnanaBhumi software as per above orders.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

S.S.RAWAT
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Spl.Chief Secretary, School Education
The Spl.Chief Secretary, Agriculture & Cooperation
The Spl.Chief Secretary, Labour Employment & Training
The Spl.Chief Secretary, Health, Medical and Family Welfare
The Principal Secretary, Animal Husbandry Dairy Development &Fisheries
The Principal Secretary, Horticulture & Sericulture

The Principal Secretary, Higher Education
The Principal Secretary, Finance
The Principal Secretary, BC Welfare
The Secretary, Minorities Welfare
The Secretary, Welfare of Differently Abled & Senior Citizens
The Secretary, AP State Council of Higher Education
The Secretary, Board of Intermediate Education
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The Secretary to Government, Finance, A.P.Amaravati
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The Commissioner of Tribal Welfare, A.P., Amaravati.
The Commissioner of B.C.Welfare, A.P., Amaravati.
The Director, Welfare of Disabled and Senior Citizens, A.P., Amaravati.
The Commissioner of Minority Welfare, A.P. Amaravati.
The Commissioner of Collegiate Education, AP, Amaravati.
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All the Vice Chancellors of Universities concerned.
All the District Collectors in the State.
All the Registrars of Universities in the State.
All the Deputy Directors of Social Welfare through Commissioner (SW)
All the District Tribal Welfare Officers through Commissioner (TW)
All the District B.C.Welfare Officers through Commissioner (BCW)
All the District Minority Welfare Officers through Commissioner (MW)
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All the LDMs of the districts

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